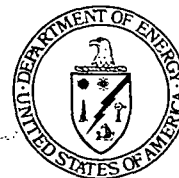




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Dear Emergency Responder:

**ISSUANCE OF REVISION 8.0 OF THE FERNALD ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
PROJECT'S RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT CONTINGENCY PLAN**

Enclosed is Revision 8.0 of the Fernald Environmental Management Project's (FEMP) Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Contingency Plan (Enclosure 1). A summary of changes made to Revision 8.0 of the RCRA Contingency Plan is included with this letter (Enclosure 2).

Revision 8.0 replaces all previous revisions to the FEMP's RCRA Contingency Plan. The revised plan is currently being reviewed by the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (OEPA), but it is not anticipated that there will be any changes. Any revisions resulting from the OEPA review will be transmitted at a later date.

A confirmation receipt request is included as Enclosure 3. Please provide the information requested and return the form to:

Fluor Fernald, Inc.
Attn: Elizabeth Brucken
MS 65-2
P. O. Box 538704
Cincinnati, Ohio 45253-8704

If you have any questions, please contact Edward Skintik at (513) 648-3151.

Sincerely,

David Kozlowski
Associate Director
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Enclosures: As Stated

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cc w/o enclosures:

T. Poff, Fluor Fernald, Inc./MS65-2

RCRA Operating Record/MS28

**SUMMARY OF CHANGES
TO THE
FEMP'S RCRA PART B PERMIT APPLICATION
CONTINGENCY PLAN
(Revision 8)**

SECTION G: CONTINGENCY PLAN

- 1) Section G has been updated to remove Building 64/65 since this building is no longer used for the storage of containers of thorium mixed waste, to indicate that Building 60 is currently being used for the storage of bulk RCRA soil, and to include PCBs among the list of waste types stored in the tension support structures and hazardous waste storage lockers at Plant 1 Pad.
- 2) Additional revisions have been made to this section to a) update emergency telephone numbers; b) address changes in administrative requirements for container tracking; c) reflect organizational changes; d) delete references to the Mobile Operations Center and the Joint Information Center since these units are no longer operational (this includes revisions to Table G-2, Figures G-2, G-3.1, and G-5.2); e) update information on emergency response capabilities and procedures; f) address the relocation of the FEMP's Medical Department to T-195; and g) include the use of other devices (such as spill pallets) to segregate incompatible wastes.
- 3) Section G-4i (Container Spills and Leakage) has been revised to provide additional information regarding spill response actions consistent with the requirements of the Drum Management Plan and the Stipulated Amended Consent Decree with the State of Ohio. These revisions were originally proposed in Section 6.0 of the draft Container Management Plan submitted to Ohio EPA in October 2001.
- 4) Figures G-4 (Implementation and Notification) and G-6 (Communications Links) have been combined and are provided as a revised Figure G-4.
- 5) Attachment G-1 (Emergency Procedures, Site Layout and Equipment Information) has been revised to update information on evacuation routes, to delete a discussion of the 90 Day Storage Locker on p. 1 since information on this unit is provided on p. 11, to note the change in location of the FEMP's Medical Department and to remove Building 64/65 since this building is no longer being used for the storage of containers of mixed thorium waste.
- 6) Maps provided as Attachment G-2 (Location of FEMP Fire Hydrants) have been updated.

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CONFIRMATION FORM**FEMP RCRA CONTINGENCY PLAN, REVISION 8.0**

This form confirms that your copy of the Fernald Environmental Management Project's Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Contingency Plan, Revision 8.0 has been received. Please sign this form, include your copy control number, and return to the address listed above.

Please note that this revision supercedes Revision 7.0 which was provided in July 2001. Please replace the revision in the binder with the new 8.0 revision, and replace cover and spine with those enclosed.

Signature _____ Date _____

Organization _____

Control Number _____